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Mr. Jim Simmons
KCBX Terminals Company
3259 East 100th Street
Chicago, Illinois 60617

Re: KCBX Terminals Company – Chicago Transfer Facility
NPDES Permit No. IL0071625
Response to Comment Letter
dated February 28, 2013
IEPA Log No. 5110-13

Dear Mr. Simmons:

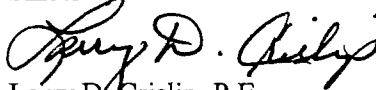
The Agency reviewed your comments dated February 28, 2013, regarding the 30-day public notice of the draft NPDES permit for the above referenced facility. Based on our review and consideration of your comments, the following information is provided regarding the issue presented.

Comments: KCBX understands that mercury monitoring is intended only for Discharge Conditions I and IV as noted in the Outfall 001 sample parameter table on Page 2 of the draft permit. However, Special Condition No. 11 appears to contradict the mercury sampling requirements set forth in the table in that Special Condition No. 11 can be read to require mercury monitoring for all discharge conditions. Therefore, KCBX requests that Special Condition No. 11 be revised for the purpose of clarifying that mercury monitoring is required only for Discharge Conditions I and IV.

Response: To ensure that monitoring requirements for mercury are clear and consistent between Special Condition No. 11 and the effluent page (Page 2) of the Permit, Special Condition No. 11 in the final issued permit has been revised to reflect that such mercury monitoring is required for discharges occurring only during Discharge Condition Nos. I and/or IV.

Should you have any questions or comments regarding the above, or need any additional information regarding Agency requirements, please contact me at the above telephone number or the Marion address indicated below.

Sincerely


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